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inactivated Factor IXa] in a sufficient amount over a sufficient time period to inhibit coagulation so as to thereby treat the ischemic disorder in the subject, wherein the antagonist is selected from the group consisting of a peptide mimetic, a nucleic acid, a small molecule, a carbohydrate molecule, and an antibody.--

2 -49. (amended) The

The method of claim 46, wherein the pharmaceutically acceptable form comprises [chemically inactivated Factor IXa and] a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.--

--50.(amended) The method of claim 49, wherein the carrier comprises an [aerosol,] intravenous [, oral or topical] carrier.--

## Please introduce new claims 56-66 as follows:

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- --56.(new) The method of claim 46, wherein the antagonist interferes with Factor IXa binding.--
- --57.(new) The method of claim 46, wherein the antagonist interferes with Factor IXa binding to epithelium or to platelets.--
- --58.(new) The method of claim 46, wherein the antagonist is a peptide mimetic.--
- --59.(new) The method of claim 46, wherein the antagonist is a nucleic acid.--